

Word Lists

ar

arch
ark
arm
art
bar
barber
bark
barn
car
card
carpet
cart
carton
charge
charm
chart
dark
darling
dart
farm
garbage
garden
guitar
hard
harp
jar
large
marble
march
mark
partner
party
scarf
shark
sharp
smart
spark
star
starch
tar
target
yard
yarn

er

after
brothers
clerk
clover
cover
enter
farmer
feather
fern
germ
hammer
her
herb
herd
hermit
jerk
monster
nerve
percent
perch
perform
perk
person
pitcher
rubber
serve
shepherd
sister
term
termite
verse
were
winter

ir

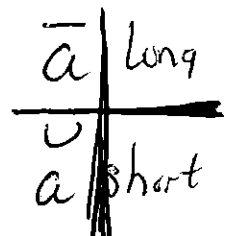
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bird
birth
chirp
circle
circus
dirt
fir
firm
first
giraffe
girl
shirt
sir
skirt
squirt
stir
swirl
third
thirsty
thirty
twirl
whirl

or

born
chorus
coral
cord
core
cork
corn
for
forest
fork
form
fort
forth
forty
horn
horse
lord
more
morning
north
oral
orange
order
perform
porch
pork
record
report
short
snore
sport
store
stork
storm
story
sword
thorn
torch
torn

ur

burger
burn
burro
burst
church
churn
curb
curls
curtain
curve
fur
hurdle
hurry
hurt
nurse
purple
purr
purse
spur
turkey
turn
turnip
turtle
urge



Tune: "London Bridge"

The Bossy R Sounds



Bossy r changes the vowel,
Changes the vowel, Changes the vowel.
Bossy r changes the vowel,
Bossy r sound.

2. When an r comes after an a,
After an a, after an a,
When an r comes after an a,
It says "ar."
Car and **harp** and **chart** and **hard**,
Chart and **hard**, **chart** and **hard**,
When an r comes after an a,
It says "ar."

ar



harp

er



fern

ir



bird

or



fork

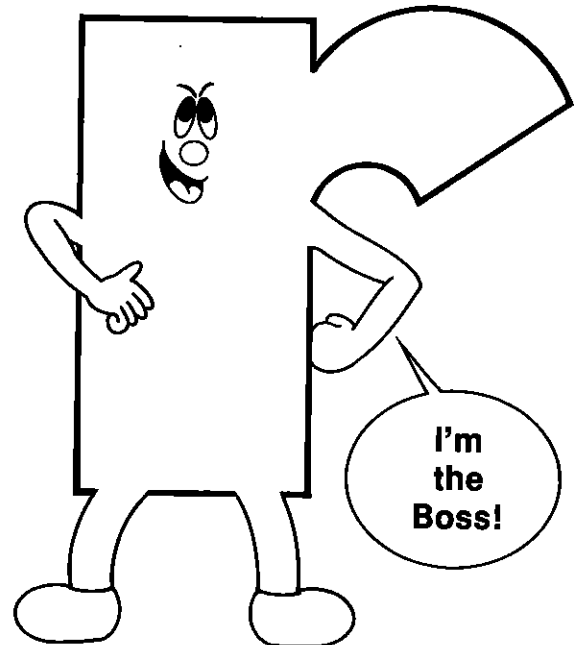
ur



nurse

3. When an r comes after an e,
After an i, or after an u,
When an r comes after these three,
They say "er."
Her and **germ** and **bird** and **nurse**,
Bird and **nurse**, **bird** and **nurse**,
When an r comes after these three,
They say "er."

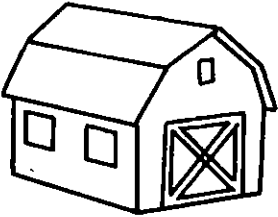
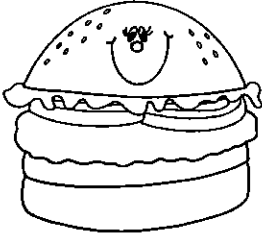
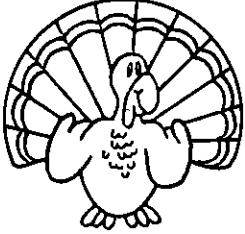

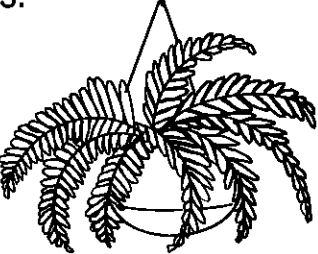

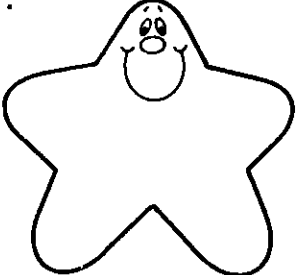

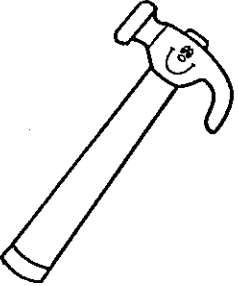
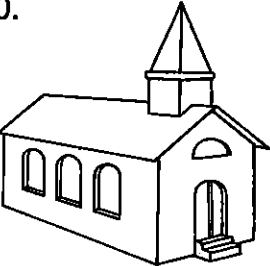

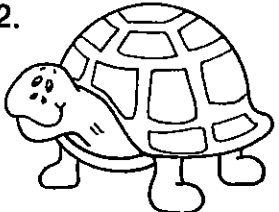
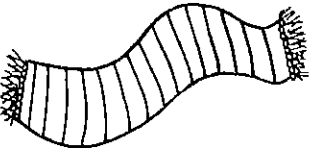
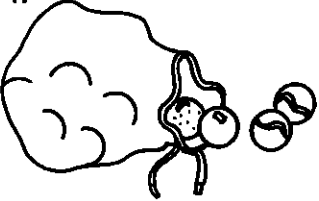
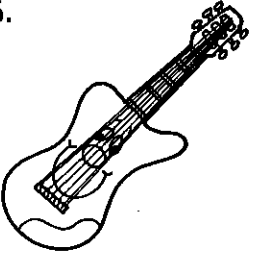

4. When an r comes after an o,
After an o, after an o,
When an r comes after an o,
It says "or."
Horse and **fork** and **short** and **corn**,
Short and **corn**, **short** and **corn**,
When an r comes after an o,
It says "or."



Name _____

R-Controlled Vowels:
ar, er, ur


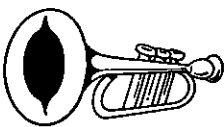
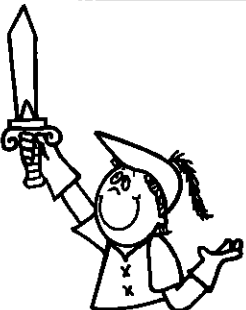
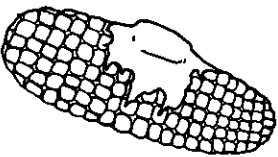

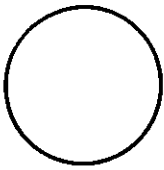

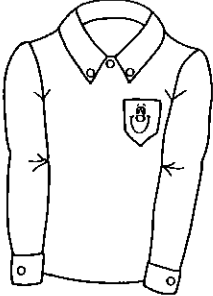
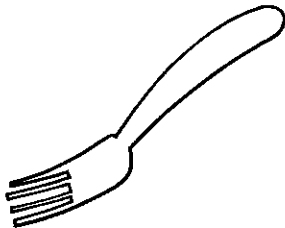
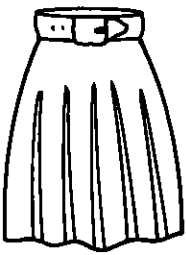

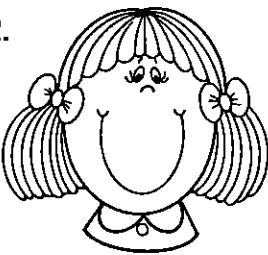

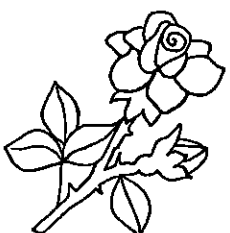
Complete each word by writing **a, e** or **u** and a "bossy r" on the blank.

1.  b____n	2.  hamb____ger	3.  t____key	4.  b____ber
5.  f____n	6.  feath____	7.  st____	8.  n____se
9.  hamm____	10.  ch____ch	11.  monst____	12.  t____tle
13.  sc____f	14.  m____ble	15.  guit____	16.  p____se

Name _____

R-Controlled Vowels:
ir, or

Complete each word by writing i or o and a "bossy r" on the blank.

1.  b__d	2.  h__n	3.  sw__d	4.  c__n
5.  t__ch	6.  c__cle	7.  sn__e	8.  sh__t
9.  f__k	10.  sk__t	11.  rec__d	12.  g__l
13.  g__affe	14. 30 th__ty	15. 40 f__ty	16.  th__n